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Attn: OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 4, 2002, requesting formal drawings for the above identified application, Applicant hereby submits the enclosed drawings, FIGS. 1-14, including corrected FIG. 4, for approval and entry.

Please contact Applicant's attorney at the phone number shown below if there are any questions concerning the enclosed formal drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

GRAYBEAL JACKSON HALEY LLP



Frederick A. Kaseburg

Attorney for Applicant

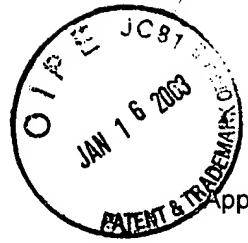
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X Submission of Formal Drawings with 5 sheets of drawings.

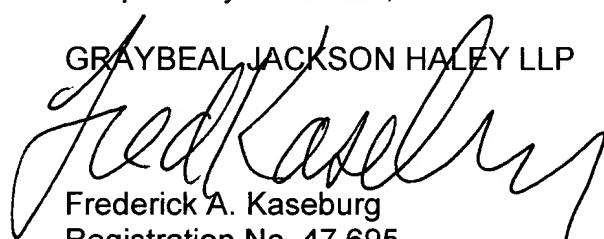
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